



K.E.P.S.

TEDDY BEAR TIMES



Everything you need to know...

25 OCTOBER 2018

DATES TO REMEMBER

Thurs, 25 October	18:00 General Sports Q & A Evening
Thurs, 1 November	18:00 AGM
Sat, 10 November	Orientation Morning
Tues, 13 November	Grade 1 Outing– Lion & Safari Park
Thurs, 15 November	Junior & Senior Interhouse Gala
Fri, 16 November	Grade R & 7 Zoo Outing
21-27 November	Grade 6 & 7 Exams
Fri, 23 November	Sports & Cultural Banquet
Mon, 26 November	Grade 2 Theatre Outing
28-30 November	The Book People Sale
Thurs, 29 November	Grade 6 Pantomime Outing
Fri, 30 November	Carols by Candlelight
Tues, 4 December	Grade 7 Bela Bela Trip
Wed, 5 December	Valediction
Thurs, 6 December	Grade R-3 Prize Givings
Fri, 7 December	Grade 4-6 Prize Givings (By invitation only)
Sat, 8 December	Mother's Tea
	Dads & Lads 1st XI Cricket
Wed, 12 December	End of Term 4

THOUGHT FOR THE WEEK

**IF YOU DON'T
CHANGE
ANYTHING,
NOTHING WILL
CHANGE**



GRADE 7 WALL OF FAME

The K.E.P.S Wall of Fame captures the names of our Grade 7 boys to be remembered along with all of our past pupils! Plaques cost R100. Order forms are available on D6. Please hand completed forms and proofs of payment to Miss White (Gr 7E).

NOTICES

STAFF MATTERS

We are very sad to share that Mrs Salmon, the Admissions secretary, has tendered her resignation effective from the end of the year. This will bring the curtain down on more than 20 years of service to the King Edward schools.

ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

The Governing Body invites all parents to the AGM to be held in the School Hall on Thursday, 1 November 2018 at 18:00. A quorum is required so all support will be appreciated. The grade that has the highest percentage attendance will be rewarded.

THE OPENING OF THE LIBRARY

The process of getting the Library to a point where it can be used as a place of reading has taken MUCH longer than expected. Parents are invited to join the staff and SGB in celebrating the opening of the new Penny Mylrea Library on Thursday, 1 November. This function will precede the AGM and will be completed in time for the AGM.

PHONE SNATCHING

24/7 security company has reported a marked increase in these events. Adults and boys, who use their phones in PUBLIC, need to be aware of the scourge that is happening around our schools. If your son does need to phone you, he must do so from inside the school premises where the guards can assist him.

Namola is an app that is being promoted for the security of users. Parents are invited to investigate the use of this app. (Obviously the app will not be available if the phone is snatched!)

STATIONERY LISTS 2019

Stationery lists for 2019 are available on the D6. The School recommends 2 different suppliers. Both Schoolzone Express and Waltons offer online ordering. All orders and payments are done via the supplier websites and NOT through the School.

ATTENDANCE IN 2019

Should your circumstances have changed, and your son/s will not be attending K.E.P.S. in 2019, please urgently contact Mrs Salmon on admin@keps.co.za.

EXAMINATIONS

As with all examination terms, the level of intense academic teaching is in its final phase for 2018. Please support your sons in their readiness for the examinations that are a mere 5 weeks away. Time management skills are crucial to succeed in both the classroom and in extra murals. Homework and study sessions at home must be followed and all efforts must be made for your sons not to fall behind in their preparations.

JUNIOR AND SENIOR INTERHOUSE GALAS

Due to the cold temperature of the pool water and the general lack of competency in the swimming skills of the Grade R, 1 and 2 boys; the school has decided to incorporate into the Senior Gala (15th November) just those Grade R to 2 children who are able to swim various strokes across a 25 m pool. There is therefore only ONE gala. The Foundation Phase boys selected will be advised shortly.

ASSESSMENTS

Fri, 2 November	Grade 4	SS
	Grade 5	Maths
	Grade 6	Exam revision & prep
	Grade 7	Exam revision & prep
Thurs, 8 November	Grade 4	NS
	Grade 5	SS
	Grade 6	Exam revision & prep
	Grade 7	Exam revision & prep

K.E.P.S. SCHOOL SHOP TRADING HOURS

Monday:	07:00– 07:45 and 13:00– 14:00
Tuesday:	07:00– 07:45 and 14:00– 14:30
Wednesday:	07:00– 07:45 and 13:00– 14:00
Thursday:	07:00– 07:45 and 13:00– 14:00
Friday:	07:00– 07:45

For any queries, please contact Lee Villavicencio on 063 296 2948.

AWARDS

STRENUE AWARDS

The following boys were given the Strenue award this week for being a good example of a K.E.P.S boy. Grade 1 Kgosi Mathabe; Grade 2 Julian Kerdachi; Grade 3 Jamie Blanckenberg; Grade 4 Uthmaan Mayet; Grade 5 Kgosi Motaung; Grade 6 Luca Dos Santos; Grade 7 Luthando Mtshizana.

HOUSE TROPHY

This week, the trophy was won by: Robinson

READING CERTIFICATES

Congratulations to the following boys who have read 10 or more books: Aayan Ali, Siphosethu Chakela, Muhammad Choonara, Lethabo Kekana, Khumo Madumo, Thando Mtambo, Musa Radebe, Matteo Ferreira, Yahya Kolia, Sean Kotlar, Noah Mahomed, Leano Moloji, Orefile Selebogo, Jack Wolhuter, Keagan Janse van Rensburg, Nikoloas Katopodis, Nkanyezi Mkhwanazi, Chase Haverly, Kelebogile Madikane, Thango Tabalaza, Nqaba Radebe, Caleb Volmink, Jed Schnell, Jamie Van Niekerk, Luke Stuart, Seth Eckstein, Zachary Adriaanse, Kaiden Berman, Lwandle Chauke, Jedd Ferreria, Alexi Fotiadis, Callum Francis, Atlegang Maila, Neo Maluleke, John Marx, Neakail Nair, Thavanesh Pillay, Zac Segal, Jamie Sher, Roan Stanbury, Hayden Steyn, Zayan Surtee, Micah Tilli, Travis Brown, Yahya Chavoos, Andrew Elvin, Bryn Gilmour, Yusuf Hafiz, Abdul Khan, Khaya Kumalo, Benjamin Lavery, Zack Newnham, Jordyn Jack, Aaron Frank Van de Merwe and Siyabonga Moyo.

CONGRATULATIONS

- **Ballet Exams**

Roan Stanbury, in Grade 2 was awarded an A+ for his ballet exam and came runner up in the section. He did 4 dances for festival and achieved 2 x A+ and runner up in his u8 section, 1x A and 1x B. He got a distinction of 82% for his ballet exam. Roan also received 100% in the Allegretto Provincial Gala Showcase.

Kaiden Berman, in Grade 2 has just passed his level (Grade 2) Ballet exam.

Tailen Berman, in Grade 1 has just passed two Ballet exams with Distinction, namely his Primary level and Test 1. Tailen now qualifies to do Dance Encore and Val Whyte.

WEEKLY FIXTURES

Please view the list of fixtures on D6.

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